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jan 23 SAM'L. BAKER, Capt.

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VESSELS WANTED-FOR CHARLESTON, SAVANNAH, and

ST. JOHN, N. B. FOWLE & CO. [feb 15]

BOOTS AND SHOES. THE CASH SYSTEM ADOPTED .- The subscriber having tried the credit system, and found that it would not pay, has concluded to adopt the CASH principle. In future, and from this date, he will continue to do business upon this principle. In bidding adieu to the old system, he would return his thanks to his customers for past favors, and hopes by strict attention, and such inducements as he may offer, to continue it under the new. [jan 1-tf] JOHN L. SMITH.

R. Y. CROSS, having purchased the entire stock of Cross, Lugenbeel & Co., respectfully announces to his friends and the public generally that he intends to conduct the BOOT AND SHOE BUSINESS, in all its branches, and hopes, from the care and attention to the work turned out of his establishment, to receive as heretofore a full share of the public patronage. A call is solicited at No.

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INVITE CITIZENS AND STRANGERS to call at my MANUFACTORY, No. 141 KING STREET, BETWEEN WASHINGTON AND ST. ASAPH STREETS, and examine my large and handsome assortment of SADDLERY GOODS, as I do not intend to be surpassed in my line of business by any other city. have on hand, and am daily manufacturing, as fine and superior an assortment as can be found in any of the Northern cities. My stock comprises as great a variety as can be found in any other house, consisting of HARNESS of all kinds, from the fine quilt work down to the dray, cart, and plough Harness; TRUNKS of every kind, fine Sole Leather, Steel Spring Iron Frame Ladies' Bridles, Martingills, Whips, &c., as fine as the finest; Buffalo and Fancy Robes, Driving Gloves, Horse Covers, Carpet Bags, Valices, &c., &c., of

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Baltimore, sep 12-tf FAEL AND WINTER ARRANGEMENT.

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INVITE the attention of the public to the facilities afforded by this Company, for the quick and safe conveyance of Specie, Bank Notes, valuable packages, heavy and bulky freight, &c. EXPRESSES for the East, to Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York, Boston, Providence, Hartford, &c., leave our office daily, at 111 o'clock, A. M. EXPRESSES for the South, to Richmond, Fredericksburg, Petersburg, Lynchburg, and for points in North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Alabama, and Tennessee, leave daily, at 111, A. M. Our EXPRESSES are always accompanied by careful and trustworthy messengers, and the public can rely upon all business entrusted to us being

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Castor Oil, Hemp and Canary Seed, Vienna Matches, Cooper's Isinglass, Gelatine, Extracts Lemon, Vanilla, Pine Apple, &c., Irish Moss, Sup. Carb. Soda, Carb. Bismuth, Nitrate Silver, English Blue Mass and Calomel, Oil Tobacco, Gallie Acid, Tanin, Blair's Syrup of the Phosphatis, Aver's Cherry Pectoral, and Extract Sarsaparilla, of Colognes, Extracts, Pomades, and Fancy Articles, just received, by
J. WILLIAM BOWLING,

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SUPPLY OF GARDEN AND FLOWER A SEEDS, just received by WM. A. HART, No. 112, King-street, next door east of the Marshall House. Sign of the Golden Mortar. feb 1 I AMESSON'S VEGETABLE PILE SALVE,

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THE GREAT ENGLISH MAGAZINE. The Cornhill Magazine, edited by W. M. Thack eray, January and February numbers; being the 1st and 2d numbers, price 36 cents each, English Once A Week, for February, English copy,

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Harper's Magazine for March, 25c. Godey's Lady's Book for March, 25c. Peterson's Ladies' National for March, 183c. Arthur's Home Magazine for March, 182c. Ethel Trevor, or the Duke's Victim, by G. W. M. Reynolds, 50e

dical Store, 75 Prince-street, opposite the Gazette

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MISCELLANEOUS READING. [COMMUNICATED. BLESS ME!-BY BEN BLOOMER. Bless me! bless me, what a stew! Three huge, hooped lasses in my pew-Oh! what can this poor body do-Now I am "done for."

Mixed up with faces half divine, Surmounting *tacks of crinoline, My feelings I cannot define, I fain would run for Some calm and quiet, lone retreat, Where I could hear my "buzzum beat," Where "moonshing" is the food they eat, And "nothing shorter."

Aye to relieve my quaking frame— To hide the blushes of my shame— As sure as Bloomer is my name, I'd "take to water! And yet I cannot-here am I, Fast as a "porker in a sty," Too jammed to smile, too seared to cry-Oh, goodness, gracious!

Groat Clesar on the Tiber's tide, With nought sustaining by his side, Was not more troubled when he cried Oh, "help me Cassius!"
When will the lasses "change their ways"— The fashion's most unfriendly phase— Don habits of "pod auger days"— Devoutly prayed for !

The good old easy times renew, When eight sat snugly in a pew, With room for circulation through And none afraid for The sudden stoppage of the tide That sets propelling power aside,

And makes one crank and bullet-eyed-An unhinged human! When will they? Oh, most potent Princess! Eugenie, "quince of human quinces," When you return to sober "senses," Misguided woman (!?)

Alexandria, Virginia, 1860. THE OIL EXCITEMENT. There is a great oil fever now raging in Northwestern Pennsylvania, produced by N. Y. Ledger, Mercary, Weckly, Family Jour-nal, Waverley, Leslie's News, Harper's Weekly, Pictorial, Welcome Guest, Literary Companion, ticle said to be equal to manufactured coal oil. Farmers are getting rid of their unproductive lands, or trying to produce a crop of oil from them. There is probably a great deal of speculation in the whole business, but still the fact seems well established that the Catholic Church, by Peter H. Burnet, one oil for burning and for lubricating machinery is obtained in great quantities by the sim-On the Origin of Species, by means of Natural ple process of pumping it from the wells where it is naturally produced. Along the entire length of Oil Creek, in Crawford, it is obtained largely, with profitable results, by boring from one to one hundred and fifty feet. Drake's spring, about one and a half Campbell, in one handsome royal octavo volume, miles from Titusville, yielded about eight Northend's Teacher. The Teacher's Assistant, hundred gallons, and McClintock spring, at r Hints and Methods in School Discipline and the mouth of the creek, about twelve hun-Instruction, being a series of familiar letters to one entering upon the Teacher's Work, by Charles Northend, A. M., author of "The Teacher and along the Cussewago valley are fully equal to those on Oil Creek. It is believed that Theory and Practice of Teaching .- The motives | the oil may be found in all this region where and methods of good School Keeping, by David there is bituminous coal. Springs indicating Page, A. M., late Principal of the Normal School, its existence are known in many parts of the country, and companies are forming with a view to commence boring on the Allegheny river and its tributaries. It is a curious fact that a mineral vein runs through from Virginia to New York. At its Southern end, bituminous coal is obtained; as it advances Life of Andrew Jackson, by James Parton, to further North, coal oil is the product; and be completed in three volumes, vol. 1, 8 vo., cloth, where it terminates in New York, it is a stream of natural gas, which burns as free-

in a state of decomposition.

works. This may result from the coal being

CANDIDATES. MEASURER OF WOOD AND BARK.-I TOspectfully announce myself a candidate for the office of Measurer of Wood and Bark, and solicit the support of my fellow-citizens.

feb 21-eotE ## To the Voters of Alexandria: - I beg leave o announce myself as a candidate for the office of Superintendent of Police. If it be your pleasure o elect me, you will receive the thanks of your numble servant. JOSEPH C. MOORE. feb 17-dte*

JAMES P. COLEMAN respectfully presents himself to the Voters of Alexandria for re-elec-tion to the office of MEASURER OF WOOD AND BARK, at the approaching election, and hopes his past course will be sufficient commendation to in sure your support, fob 16--dtE* 20 Norme. - I offer myself as a candidate for

the office of Superintendent of Police, and plodge myself, if elected, to discharge faithfully the dufeb 16-31 ZET INSPECTOR OF LUMBER.-I respectfully mnounce myzelf a candidate for the above office, and solicit the support of my fellow-citizens.
feb 16-eo3t* CHARLES R. GRIMES. 22 CAPT. WM. B. PRICE, will be supported for the office of Mayor of this city, at the election in March, by [jan 31-dte*] MANY VOTERS.

undersigned offers himself for re-election to the TIME FATE OF SIR JOHN FRANKLIN office of Superintendent of Gas. From his experience, he feels confident that he can give full sa 3.6 To the Voters of Alexandria, -A. F. SKIDMORE, is a candidate for the office of Superintendent of Gas, and will be supported at the

30 SUPERINTENDENT OF GAS. The

coming election, which takes place on Tuesday, March 6th, 1860, by MANY VOTERS. feb 15-dte* 35 To the Voters of Alexandria .- JOHN L. SMITH is a candidate for the office of Chief Engineer of the Fire Department. feb 13-dte* TO THE VOTERS OF ALEXANDRIA. -I beg leave to announce myself a candidate for re-election to the office I now hold, viz: Collector of Taxes, Northern District, or 2d and 3d Wards.

If it be your pleasure to re-elect me, you will re-ceive the thanks of your humble servant. feb 10-dte* JOHN A. FIELD. To the Voters of Alexandria: - I announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of Collector of Taxes for the Southern District, the First and Fourth Wards, and pledge myself, if elected, to do everything in my power to give satisfaction. I hope by strict attention and the manner in which I have discharged the duties of the office the past year, to have secured to me the confidence of my fellow-citizens, and, therefore, respectfully ask that they will give me their votes again at the coming election, which takes place on the 6th day of March. WM. H. SMITH.

ian 27-te Zer To the Citizens of Alexandria :-- I respectully announce myself as a candidate for Collector of Taxes for the Southern District, embracing the First and Fourth Wards, pledging my best efforts to give satisfaction, and perform well the duties.

To the Voters of Alexandria :- I respectfully present myself as a candidate for the office of Gunger and Inspector of Liquor, and solicit GEORGE McCLEISH. feb 13 die* A CARD .- At the suggestion of many of

my friends, I have concluded not to run for the Jarvis' Island, Mexican, Nevassa, and Kettlewell's | Sheriffalty of Alexandria County, but to run for the office of Commissioner of the Revenue. I Tiers & Paynter's Super Phosphates of LIME therefore announce myself as a candidate for that To the Voters of the City and County of Alexandria: - I offer myself as a candidate for the

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